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INITIAL HIGH SCHOOL INSTITUTE OPENS SESSIONS IN THE LIBRARY.

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DISTINGUISHED EDUCATORS

Spoke at the Opening Session Friday Evening—High School Teachers From This and Nearby Counties As Well as West Virginia Are Present. Sessions Will Be Held This Morning and Afternoon.

In spite of most disagreeable evening, as far as weather conditions were concerned, a good sized crowd was present in Carnegie Free Library hall on No. 3 Friday morning and during the afternoon witnessed the Philo Society meeting. The audience was greatly pleased with the debate. He delivered a short address to Miss Horner's class in English.

P. C. McBee, instructor of manual training, and Charles Crow both of Munhall, W. Va., schools, were present. Munhall is in the West Virginia oil region, and the instructors traveled from there to attend this institute. Mr. Crow is a Past Marion boy.

Among the interested spectators at the institute is Miss Grace Rhodes of the Greensburg schools. Miss Rhodes formerly taught in Connellsville, but occupies a higher position in Westmoreland county. She is a normal graduate.

Principal Lewis Hawkins of McClellandtown, who has charge of the Government High School, is also in attendance at the institute. He was at the beginning that lectures were not permitted at Institutes, and at least they were called addresses; his "He" proceeded to talk along an interesting vein concerning "The School and the Community." The speaker argued along the line of the vast benefits of the public school and the support deserved from every community, declaring that it was the only thing making the Declaration of Independence possible.

Dr. Barbe also declared that every boy and girl should be compelled to go through the entire public school course, and that the boy himself is not entitled to an opinion on the matter. As an example he cited the instance of a boy, who had never been out of one particular district in West Virginia, declared he didn't like the State and was going to go away from it. He hadn't seen the Sandhollow valley, or the "Little Leaves" of Point Pleasant, or the wheat and corn country of the Ohio valley. Hence, argued the speaker, that boy was not entitled to an opinion on the subject. Another striking argument by Dr. Barbe was that every teacher has professional rights that should be respected. Parents should no more think of dictating to a teacher about how to teach than to a doctor of how to practice medicine or a lawyer how to practise law.

Following Dr. Barbe, Miss Anna Dowd of Uniontown rendered a vocal solo which received generous applause. It being impossible for Chancellor S. B. McCormick of the Western University to be present, his assistant, Prof. S. B. Lichner, spoke on "The College and the High School Graduate." The speaker outlined the various opportunities afforded graduates of the High School or College, and recited the many advantages of such an education. He was heartily in favor of students taking both High School and college courses. Cooperation between the High School and the college was urged at length. His address, while not quite so long as Dr. Barbe's, was equally as interesting.

This morning's session of the Institute was opened with an interesting debate over the question of "What Way Can Civil Service Reform be Applied to the Appointment of Public School Teachers?" Miss Anna B. Day delivered an excellent address in advocacy of civil service application to teachers. The argument was taken up by E. C. Higbee, who opposed civil service on the grounds that once given positions, teachers would neglect their studies, feeling safe in office. Prof. Reed, Principal of the Scottish schools, took issue with Higbee and supported Miss Day. The argument was interesting while it lasted and held the interest of all present.

A number of queries were discussed, after short addresses by various speakers. "What Place has the Literary Society in the High School?" was argued by Principal J. P. Snyder of the Perryopolis High School; "What Should be the Relation of the Grammar School to the High School?" R. K. Smith, Principal of the Dunbar High School; "What Should be the Professional Training of the High School Teachers?" J. H. Blenckner, Principal of the Scotdale High School; and "What Practical Steps Can be Taken to Purify High School Athletes?"

SPEAKING OF SWOLLEN WEALTH.



United States the Richest Nation in the World.

APPROPRIATIONS

Of Baltimore & Ohio for Pittsburgh and Connellsville Divisions Will Soon Be Announced.

Executive officials of the Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Company will shortly authorize appropriations for new work on the Pittsburgh and Connellsville divisions of that road as well as the main line improvements that have been contemplated for some time. Word was received here yesterday from Baltimore, the general headquarters, that the higher officials had practically decided on the appropriations for the entire system, and that that action would be taken at a meeting of the Executive Committee to be held within the next few days.

Heretofore this list has been handed down about January 1, so the division engineers can arrange to begin the new work early in the spring. Estimates for the proposed new work are usually submitted to the executives during the fall, so they will have ample time to decide just what work is to be done during the year. The appropriations authorized by the Pittsburgh system officials are much larger than in previous years, and according to reports received here yesterday the greater portion of the work suggested by the local representatives will be authorized. It is not believed that plans for the proposed passenger terminal in Water street will be completed by the end of the month.

In such cases single company armories have been built, and in others armories for two companies, where two companies were stationed in the same town. Under the appropriation and the apportionment by the Armory Board armories have been built, or are being built or will soon be built as follows:

For the Second Brigade, a one-company armory for Company E, Tenth Regiment, Mt. Pleasant, Westmoreland county; for Company D, Tenth Regiment, at Connellsville; for Company A, Sixteenth Regiment, at Cory; for Company C, Sixteenth Regiment, at Bradford, McKean County.

BOUGHT STONE TRACT.

Dr. J. B. Woods Gets Richter Property Near the Old Taylor Tannery. Will Move There.

James B. Woods, the Main street dentist, has bought the Henry Richter tract of land lying east of the Taylor tannery in the Valley district, 2½ miles from town. It adjoins the white sand rock tracts of both Zacharias and Zanchi, Norton and Burge heirs. Purchase was made through the real estate agency of S. M. James of Fairview avenue. Dr. Woods will move there next summer.

The tract is underlaid with the fine feaf fire stone of superior quality, which is used extensively in its raw state in broken blocks for lining blast furnace stacks; also for making extra durable fire brick, it being a grainless ash, like stone, which will not run under extensive heat. The ledge lies exposed, is 35 feet thick and at an elevation which is faultless for easy working, and on the line of survey of the proposed Gilmore Valley Mineral Railroad. James has secured a fair interest in the property with Woods.

Union Veteran Legion Meeting. The usual routine business was transacted at the regular monthly meeting of the Union Veteran Legion held Friday evening in Rausch's hall. A large number of veterans were present and the meeting was an interesting one.

PAVE APPROACHES TO FREIGHT DEPOT.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Appropriates \$5,000 for This Purpose.

RELIEVE EXISTING CONDITIONS.

Under Road to Depot Improvements Impossible, Causing Shippers and Haulers Inconvenience—Improvements Will Be Started at Once.

As a result of efforts on the part of The Courier to secure better approaches to the Baltimore & Ohio freight station, which for the past several months have been almost impossible, comes official announcement from the Baltimore headquarters of the company to the effect that \$5,000 will immediately be spent in constructing a break driveway, with proper drainage around the freight station and connecting tracks leading to the freight yard.

Two weeks ago The Courier called attention to conditions existing about the station and at the time it was explained that a possible change in the depot's present location might be made. Conditions are such, however, as to make it almost impossible for heavy loads to be taken away. Wagons stuck hub deep in black mud, as the cylinders placed as a temporary relief proved totally unsatisfactory for the purpose.

An official letter from Baltimore headquarters to the editor of The Daily Courier today states that Third Vice President G. L. Potter has authorized the improvement at the B. & O. station at Connellsville. The work is to be done just as soon as material can be placed on the ground. An investigation of the matter developed the fact that the paving of the entrances or approaches to the freight depot were in as bad condition as had been reported and no time was lost authorizing work for improved facilities. The letter states that the work will cost \$5,000.

The work will be started in two or three weeks.

NEGATIVES WON

Debate at the Literary Society of Leisenring High School on Friday Afternoon.

The regular semi-monthly meeting of the Leisenring Literary Society of the Dunbar township High School was held Friday afternoon at the High School building at Leisenring No. 1, an interesting program being carried out. The debate, "Resolved, That the medical profession is of more value to mankind than a legal profession," was decided by the judges in favor of the negative debaters, Miss Mary Seeger and Carl Boyd.

The affirmative debaters were Miss Ella Holliday and Earl Roberts. The periodical was read by Miss Gladys Edwards.

Oysters at Elks Club. For the benefit of members of 503, B. P. O. E., a barrel of live oysters is being served at the Club House on Main street this afternoon.

OHIO CIRCUIT.

Organized for Booking Theatrical Attractions—Connellsville and Uniontown included.

Baltimore & Ohio Railroad Appropriates \$5,000 for This Purpose.

AN OLD SLAVE

Appeared in Police Court This Morning Accused of Drunkenness—For elge Blame Drug Store Booze.

Joseph Sancho Punzo Thompson, a negro of the old school, who was a slave "before the war," was arrested for being drunk Friday evening. Joseph L. Burgess, Justice of the Peace, told Burgess, "I know that his old master" gave him that name when he was born on the old plantation near Williamsburg, Va. He lived with these folks until 1894, when he came to Fayette county and located in Leisenring No. 3. He has lived in the same house and worked at the same job ever since. Thompson denied being drunk, although he admitted taking several drinks. "The iron on his heels made him sit, he explained. A fine of \$5.50 was assessed and Officer Franks took him to the bank. After getting the money he begged Franks to "loan" him the 50 cents, but there was nothing doing.

Mike Vitulski of Wiley Heaven was arrested at the B. & O. station for being drunk. He denied the allegation, saying that he came up here to get some medicine and his subsequent intoxication was the result of his visit to the drug store.

William Ash was arrested for being drunk and disorderly, information being made by his brother. He was given five days in the coop.

PLANS ARRIVE

For the New Masonic Building and Will Be Turned Over to Bidders at Once.

Architect Andrew P. Cooper of Uniontown this morning delivered the plans and specifications for the new Masonic building to be erected on South Pittsburg street and those were accepted by the Building Committee. As soon as possible copies of the plans and specifications will be given the various bidders and their estimates are expected within a few days. As soon

PITTSBURG NEWSPAPER COMBINE AGAINST THE SUNDAY COURIER.

They Seem to Regard This Field as Their Own by Right of Discovery and Conquest.

A DELUGE OF GIFT GAMES

And All Sorts of Lottery Schemes Employed to Boost Their Circulation. Bar Courier from Its Colored Supplement Tomorrow—However, We Are Not Out of the Sunday Newspaper Business Yet.

OFF THE TICKET.

Two Names of Prospective Candidates for Council in New Haven Not on the Ballot.

Through a mixup of some sort the names of Thomas Haven and Joseph Metzger, candidates respectively on the Citizens and Republican tickets for Town Council in New Haven, are not on the primary ballot.

They had petitions filed, but when the bulletins came down their names were not on them. There was confusion as to the one and three year term men on the ticket. Then can be voted for by writing their names on the ballot.

FULLER LITIGATION.

New Claims Entered Against Administratrix, Mrs. Sarah Fuller, UNIONTOWN, Jan. 25.—Two new suits have been entered against Mrs. Sarah Fuller, wife of the late Frank M. Fuller. One is for \$2,400 and the other for \$3,000, the former for rental of a two third's interest on a farm in South Union township and the latter for wear and tear to the farm buildings, etc., during the term of Mr. Fuller's lease.

The late Frank M. Fuller, Jr., died in 1894, leaving his estate to his widow and Marion Anderson, who each held a third interest. Mr. Fuller was to pay each \$250 a year. The suit is for a balance and the other suit is for what the plaintiffs consider a difference in the value of the farm when the lease was made and now. The issue was to turn the farm over in as good condition as when it was leased.

MRS. ANNA ROSE,

Wife of Levi Rose, Died on Friday Afternoon.

Mrs. Anna Rose, aged 37 years, wife of Levi Rose, died Friday afternoon at her home on Baldwin avenue. Funeral from the family residence Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Rev. A. J. Ashe, pastor of the Methodist Episcopal Church, officiating in the 10th Grove Cemetery.

Decent, when buried, was Leisenring, who was born in Fayette county, a member of the family residing near Hunter, Somersett county. In November she came to Connellsville with the family, where she has since lived. Mrs. Rose had been ill for several years. About a year ago she underwent an operation at Mercy Hospital in Pittsburgh. She is survived by her husband and five children, three boys and two girls.

LETTERS OF ADMINISTRATION

Issued at Uniontown to Squire Joseph Humbert.

Squire Joseph Humbert of Henry Clay township took out letters of administration on the estate of his brother, the late Geo. W. Humbert, who died in Cincinnati, formerly a policeman at Mt. Pleasant, and his mother, Mrs. Louise Humbert. Both died some years ago. They had interests in a farm in Henry Clay township.

"The House of a Thousand Candles" that absorbing tale of mystery now running, will give the reader deeper than ever in conjecture. A prominent feature will be an illustrated article on the Hudson river subway system, now nearing completion. It is a wonderful combination of submarine and aerial construction. There is also a sketch of Harriman, the railroad wizard, and his operations. Prominent men are pictorially presented. There are reviews of local sports and stage events, a page of Parisian fashions and one for children.

There will also be a story from Dawson on old Yough river boathouse, of whom Isaac Colvert of East Liberty is now the only survivor, one from Confluence on the Wahab and what it will do for that town. Oliver is represented in a breezy article.

Every soldier in Fayette county will delight in the story of Squire Henry O'Neill of Smithfield, a veteran of the Civil War, who was at the siege of Vicksburg. Scottsdale readers will be interested in two stories from there and a story on a memorial address to

Epworth League Meeting.

The Epworth League Cabinet of the Methodist Episcopal Church met Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. John Funk on Cottage avenue and transacted the usual routine monthly business. All members were present.

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NOT TO BE TEMPTED

Longworth Says Father-in-Law Will Stick to His Decision.

NOT TO RUN FOR PRESIDENT

Says Secretary Taft Stands High In President's Estimation. But May Be Supreme Bench Before 1908 Discourages Third-Term Idea.

Washington, Jan. 26.— Apparently to discredit a movement known as the "Roosevelt Third Term League," Representative Longworth, the president's son-in-law, has given out an interview, stating that under no conditions will the president accept another nomination.

"Oppose, despite the president's repeated declarations, a serious movement should develop next year, having as its object his renomination; would he again declare himself?" was asked the president's son-in-law.

"In view of the emphatic position he already has assumed," replied Mr. Longworth, "I can scarcely believe that any such plan would be considered seriously by politicians. However, should the movement assume proportions worthy of the president's notice, I would not be surprised if he reiterated his previous declaration."

"In the event his friends disregard his apparent wishes and carry their plans to their logical conclusion and succeeded in having the convention renominate him—what then, would the president decline to accept the nomination?"

"I cannot conceive of any combination of circumstances by which the president could be persuaded to change his mind. I cannot believe that the enthusiasm of some of his friends will carry them as far as that, however."

"Has the president a preference in the matter of who should be nominated by the Republicans to succeed him? It has been intimated frequently that he favors Secretary Taft?"

"Even if I knew the president had a favorite and had so expressed himself, I would not say so. I do know, however, that he considers Secretary Taft one of the best equipped men for the office in the country. But the secretary may be unavailable in 1908 by reason of his appointment to the supreme bench, for as you know, he is said to be slated for a judicial appointment."

CAUSED BY METEOR

Millions of People Believe it Blow Up Powder Car at Sandford.

Terry, Ind., Jan. 26.—That a meteor set off the car of powder and caused the disaster to a Big Four accommodation train at Sandford, Ind., as the belief of R. E. Brown of Edgar county, Ill. Mr. Brown lives near Pauls, Ill. He said the night of the disaster and just before the explosion a large meteor passed over his place. It appeared like a great ball of fire and made a noise like a rocket.

The meteor, said Brown, moved in the direction of Sandford and left a trail of sparks. Almost immediately after its disappearance the explosion occurred. Other people living near Vermillion, Ill., and Sandford, Ind., said they also saw the meteor.

Racine at His Work.
Racine, the French writer, composed his work while walking rapidly about, shouting out the lines in a loud voice. One day while he was thus composing part of his play of "Mithridates" in the Tuilleries gardens in Paris he was surrounded by a group of workmen who took him to be a maniac. On his return home from these walks he would write down scenes after scenes in prose, and when they were finished he would exclaim, "My tragedy is done!" considering the transposition of the lines into verse only a trivial thing.

Prominent Canadian Dead.
Frederickton, N. B., Jan. 26.—Andrew G. Blair, one of the best known public men in Canada, died suddenly here last night. He was formerly premier of New Brunswick and for several years was minister of railways and canals in Sir Wilfrid Laurier's cabinet.

Moroccan Warship Sinks.
Tangier, Morocco, Jan. 26.—While bombarding the camp of Raissuli, the bandit, the Moroccan warship Turk struck a rock near the Zaffarine Islands, off the coast of Morocco, and went to the bottom, carrying many of her crew with her.

Goes in Trance at Revival.
Marion, O., Jan. 26.—For more than 24 hours doctors were unable to revive Miss Bertha Dickerson, an Epworth school teacher, who went into a trance Tuesday night at the revival services at the Wesley M. T. church. Miss Dickerson declared that she had been to heaven.

Prisco Still Needs Relief.
Washington, Jan. 26.—The Red Cross has forwarded to San Francisco for relief work \$445,750. This was sent in accordance with the estimate for January of the San Francisco relief and Red Cross funds.

Alfonso Pleasees the Vatican.
Rome, Jan. 26.—The news that King Alfonso has approved a conservative ministry with Senor Maura as premier is received with much gratification at the vatican, where Maura is described as the greatest statesman in Spain.

TWO STATE STORIES.

News in Brief During the Past 24 Hours.

Pittsburgh, Pa., Jan. 26.—Peter Cousin, age 22, a laborer of Pittcairn, was killed by a train at Stewart station on the Pennsylvania railroad.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 26.—By the death of Haney Carey, a domestic, age 21, the record of victims of typhoid fever epidemic reached the 100 mark.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 26.—The Delaware, Lackawanna & Western Co. announces an increase in wages for the shop hands here of 10 cents a day.

Lima, O., Jan. 26.—George, aged 19, son of George Baker of Wauseon, while cleaning a revolver accidentally discharged the weapon, killing his brother Edwin.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 26.—McKeesport has been admitted into the Pennsylvania, Ohio and Maryland league, taking the place of Cumberland, the only Maryland representative in the league.

Cincinnati, Jan. 26.—A loss of \$250,000 was caused by a fire which destroyed seven buildings of the plant of the Old '76 Distilling Co. at Newport Ky. Five thousand barrels of whisky burned.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 26.—This town is suffering from a shortage of gas. The trolley service is handicapped. Hazel glass house No. 1 has been shut down for two days while an eastern firm is installing an oil system for fuel.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 26.—A deed was recorded here by which the Pittsburgh-Buffalo Coal Co. transfers 4,982 acres in Deerfield borough and West Bethlehem township, to the Vesta Coal Co. The price is \$1,427,700, or \$350 an acre.

East Liverpool, O., Jan. 26.—Fire in the Columbian county infirmary, which although it did not do much other damage, caused a panic among the inmates. James Sharp, age 63, of this city, an inmate, died of heart failure caused by the excitement.

Bridgeport, O., Jan. 26.—George Bresette, grocer, found a four-week-old baby in a basket full of warm clothing on his doorstep. On the clothing are marks showing it had been bought in Cincinnati and Pittsburgh, but there is no clue to the child's parents.

Steubenville, O., Jan. 26.—Armed constables and deputies are guarding the remains of Mrs. Martha Lawrence, who died at Long Run, and are keeping armed members of the family and friends from a deadly feud, while Coroner Campbell and physicians are conducting a postmortem.

Steubenville, O., Jan. 26.—Polanders at a christening at shack No. 23, Long Run, engaged in a cutting affair, after a dispute as to how to tap a log of beech. The house was wrecked and a dozen men were seriously beaten. Pete Kalowski was stabbed by Stoney Petrovski and died. Petrovski evaded arrest.

Pottstown, Pa., Jan. 26.—John L. Hart, age 12, was found hanging in the slaughter house of a relative at Stowe, near here. His act of suicide is attributed to a playful remark made by a girl companion, who said she did not like him. The boy was one of the best scholars in the local high school.

Pottstown, Pa., Jan. 26.—The Rev. Earl Cleeland, assistant pastor of the Scotch Presbyterian church of New York, is here making preparations to leave for Canton, China, where he will become instructor in the Canton Christian college, maintained by the Presbyterian church. He is the son of David L. Cleeland of Butler.

Oil City, Pa., Jan. 26.—The home of Frank Sostek, a Pole, was destroyed by fire and two children were burned to death. The children were in bed on the second floor, but the flames spread so rapidly it was impossible to reach them. Sostek had gone to work and his wife did not know the house was burning until neighbors rushed in.

Newark, O., Jan. 26.—Lulu Brown, a divorced woman, age 28, was found dead in bed in a room on the third floor of a building in West Main street. By her side was Ellis Toolo, a bartender, an employee at the Hotel Seifer, who was still breathing. Toolo is in a serious condition. They were overcome by fumes of a small gas stove.

Scranton, Pa., Jan. 26.—David Pultz, who trapped the last panther ever seen in Wayne county and who during his 40 years service as a rafterman ran millions of feet of lumber to Philadelphia on the Delaware, is dead at the age of 85 in Honesdale. His grandfather was a Revolutionary soldier, and was in the boat in which Washington crossed the Delaware.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 26.—A foreigner boarded a car of the train from Ellsworth to Monongahela and knocked off the hats of several lady passengers, patted some of them on the cheek and was trying to force a kiss on one when the conductor and brakeman appeared. They threw the fellow from the train and as he rolled down to the track two male passengers broke a hole in the ice and ducked him.

Washington, Pa., Jan. 26.—Believing her daughter was possessed of an evil spirit, and refusing to give medicine prescribed by physicians, a woman of Elizabethtown allowed her little daughter to die for lack of proper treatment. The little one was only three years old, and when she grew sick the mother tried various means to expel the evil spirit, as pouring candle grease through her wedding ring.

Prohibits in Session.
The Central Prohibition Committee of Fayette county held an all day meeting in Uniontown Friday to discuss plans of work.

AUDITORS' PROTEST.

They Want All Bills of The County to Be Itemized.

THEIR SUGGESTIONS HEDED.

Requested Commissioners Last Year to Require Bills to Be Itemized. Now the Matter May Be Taken Into Court for Decision.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 26.—The editor

of the Fayette county Board of Auditors addressed to the commissioners of other counties a year ago, stating that they would refuse to honor all bills thereafter which were not itemized, probably, may lead to litigation in the local courts.

THE METHODIST PROTESTANT Church Sabbath school, 9:15 A. M.; Irving workshop, 9:30; club meeting room, X. Y. C. Es., 9:30 P. M.; singing school, 7:30. Prayer meetings Wednesday at 10:30 P. M. All are cordially invited.

TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH

There will be daily services at 11 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. conducted by the pastor, Rev. E. B. Burgess. Sunday school at 10 A. M. and Christian Union, 7:30 P. M. Good music.

All are cordially invited to these services. Our news is free.

DR. GREWER

Medical and Surgical Institute, A. C. Hagan Block, No. 28 East Main Street, Uniontown, Pa.

DR. M. GREWER, Consulting Physician and Surgeon.
Dr. F. Grewer, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania and one of the most highly educated in this state, is now permanently located at this address, where he treats all chronic diseases of Men, Women and Children. He makes a specialty of all forms of Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Neuralgic Diseases, Epilepsy, fits, Convulsions, Hysteria, St. Vitus Dance, Wakefulness, Cured under guarantee.

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CHRISTIAN CHURCH, THE FRIENDLY services are at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. The Sunday school meets in the evening at 6:30 P. M. The C. S. Society in the evening at 7:30 P. M. The First Aid Society in the evening at 7:30 P. M. The choir is cordially invited to attend these services. During the coming week preparatory services will be held in the First Aid Society in the evening at 7:30 P. M. The choir is cordially invited.

PREBESYTERRIAN CHURCH, REV. W. A. D. LYLE, pastor. Services Sabbath evenings at 7:30 P. M. The Sunday school in the evening at 6:30 P. M. Good rewards for the best singing.

The "Peculiar" evening subject, "Shepherds." Special music by the choir, composed of Mrs. Herbert Knox, Mrs. Florence Moore, Mrs. George McComb, Mrs. May Bunting, and J. S. McComb, with others. May 18th.

WEDNESDAY EVENING SERVICES.

First Aid Society.

Christian Union.

Friendship Club.

Young People's Union.

Christian Union.

WEDDING COUPLES.

**The News
of Nearby Towns.****PERRYOPOLIS.**

Paragraphs From Famous Old Village
Washington Laid Out.

PERRYOPOLIS, Jan. 26.—D. V. P. Larimer of West Newton was calling on friends and transacting business in town Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stickel moved to New Haven on Thursday, where Isaac has secured a position.

Mr. and Mrs. John Ellenger and family of West Newton were visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Mossberg, Thursday.

Truant Officer B. F. Slocum is faithfully performing his duty by looking up the children who fail to attend school. He had the children from two families at Whistett before Square Brownelle this week, and it cost them \$9.00 each. Parents should take warning, as the matter will be looked into if their children fail to attend school.

Dr. George B. Bible, Principal of the National School of Oratory, Philadelphia, the humorous and witty lecturer and entertainer, will lecture on the M. E. Church here February 3, at 8 o'clock P. M. His subject will be "Wit and Humor." This is one of the greatest treats that the people of Perry township have ever had the privilege of listening to right at home, and a large crowd may be expected.

An unusually strong program has been prepared for the Teachers' Institute to be held in the M. E. Church on Saturday, February 9. Music and speakers from various parts of the county have been secured and the best institute ever held in the township is what we expect to have.

On Saturday evening, February 9, at 8 o'clock, a most pleasing entertainment will be held in the M. E. Church, consisting of music, both vocal and instrumental, and addresses from County Superintendent C. G. Lewellen, and others. All concerned are making a special effort to have the above attractions the best series ever held in the township. For further particulars or seat programs of the above, address Prof. J. Buell Snyder any time after Tuesday, January 29. Both evening entertainments are under the auspices of the township High School. Admission 25 cents. The proceeds are for the piano and library fund.

Prof. J. Buell Snyder is attending the first exclusive High School Institute ever held in the county at Connellsburg today. He is the first speaker on the program, his subject being "What Place Has the Literary Society in the High School?"

Prof. J. Buell Snyder held the High School examinations for the fifth month on Thursday and Friday.

Howard Adams, Prof. Snyder and the Board of School Directors called on A. M. Fuller yesterday afternoon in the interest of the new High School building.

Job Seeds will lecture in the auditorium at Star Junction this evening. A special train will be run on the Washington Run railroad from Star Junction to Layton after the lecture, to accommodate those from Perry and Layton who wish to attend.

Melburn Jones, one of the strong members of the Senior class of the High School is confined to his home with the grippe.

OHIOPOLE.

Notes From the Little Mountain Resort
Up the Yough.

OHIOPOLE, Jan. 27.—J. W. Chuck was a business caller in Connellsburg yesterday.

Prof. S. P. Boyer, Principal of the Ohiopole schools, left yesterday for Berlin, where he expects to visit relatives and friends over Sunday.

Miss Anna Corrigan is on the sick list.

Louis Harbaugh was a business caller in town yesterday.

Ivans Rush was transacting business in Confluence yesterday.

Mrs. W. D. Cliche was calling on friends and relatives in Connellsburg yesterday.

J. S. Marshall, who has been spending the past few days at this place, returned to his home at Confluence yesterday.

Isaac Hall was a business caller in town yesterday.

Mr. J. Tracy was visiting friends on Garrett street yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gardner of Blawie had their household effects moved to this place recently and have taken up their abode on Garrett street.

Mrs. F. M. Cunningham of Bollo Grove, who has been ill for some time, is reported on the mend.

Servicemen services will be held in the Baptist Church beginning next Monday evening. All are cordially invited to attend.

Johnson's lake furnished sport for a merry throng of skaters Thursday evening.

Jesse McFarland and son Lewis of Bear Run were seen on our streets yesterday.

The electric lights have been rather weak for the past few nights.

Remember the services in the churches tomorrow.

SPRUCE HOLLOW.

Personals From the Hills Out in Bullskin Township.

SPRUCE HOLLOW, Jan. 25.—C. F. Geary has so greatly recovered from his rheumatism that he was able to make a trip to Connellsburg on Saturday.

Smith B. Hatfield and Miss Zetta Whipple were at Bear Rock Sunday calling at the home of Henry Huffer.

C. M. Whipple is suffering with a severe attack of lumbago.

Miss Eva Bush was a Scottdale caller on Thursday.

G. F. Geary purchased two fine

horses from William Barnes one day last week.

Misses Alice, Ida and Daisy Geary were the guests of Misses Blanche and Ruth Whipple on Sunday.

The evangelistic services at the Mt. Olive U. B. Church still continue, with two conversions.

Mrs. J. C. Miner was at Pennsville Thursday visiting at the home of Mrs. Anna Bliner.

ROCKWOOD.

Bright Paragraphs From the Big Somerset County Borough.

ROCKWOOD, Jan. 26.—A large party of happy young people of Somerset accompanied Henry A. Root and his bride, formerly Miss Jennie McElveen, to this place Thursday evening, where the latter took the train for the East. Many pounds of rice were thrown upon the newly wedded couple, and altogether it was a loud and happy aggregation.

Miss Lillian Blackmore of Elkins, W. Va., is a guest at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman L. Hay on Market street.

Dr. Charles J. Hemminger spent yesterday at Johnstown on business.

Wm. J. Leader, head of the Rockwood brewery, returned to Pittsburgh yesterday after spending several weeks here giving his attention to Rockwood's newest enterprise.

Services will be held here tomorrow as follows:

Lutheran Church, Rev. Chas. H. Day, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.; Luther League, 8:30 P. M.; preaching services, Rockwood Church, 10:30 A. M. and 7:15 P. M. Following the morning session the Holy Communion will be administered. Subject for the evening discourse, "Evils and Perils Threatening American Institutions;" preaching and Holy Communion services at Sanner's Church at 2 P. M.

Reformed Church, Rev. W. H. Landis, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 P. M.; preaching followed by Holy Communion, Rockwood Church at 10:30 A. M.; preaching at New Contrevalle at 2 P. M.

United Evangelical Church, Rev. S. M. Cousins, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.; prayer meeting, 2 P. M.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 P. M.; preaching services at 7:15 P. M.

United Brethren Church, Rev. G. A. Sparks, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 A. M.; prayer meeting, 6 P. M.; preaching services and Holy Communion at 10:30 A. M.; preaching and revival services at Millford Church at 7 P. M.

Hon. E. D. Miller returned home from Pittsburgh on Thursday evening and was a business visitor at Somerset yesterday.

A terrible scourge of typhoid fever seems to be prevalent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Spangler on East Main street. Their three youngest children, Frank, George and Mabel, are all ill with the dread disease. Harry Spangler, another son, mentioned is also ill of the same disease at his home.

Prof. U. D. Miller, who has his headquarters for music teaching in the Whigord building at this place, has been lying ill in the home of Mahlon Snyder, in Black township, for the past several weeks, suffering from the grippe.

CONFLUENCE.

Interesting Items From Somerset County's Hunting Town.

CONFLUENCE, Jan. 26.—Ray Hook, a passenger brakeman on the Pennsylvania railroad at Pittsburg, is paying the old burg a visit a few days while on the relief. He was formerly a resident of this place.

Order your Sunday Courier now. There is always something of importance in it.

Mr. George McDonald and two daughters, Misses Mary and Ida, left today for the Smoky City on a shopping trip and will visit friends and relatives for a few days before returning. Miss Mary is one of our enterprising school teachers here.

There will be a meeting in the Council Chamber Wednesday evening, January 30, at 7 o'clock, to suggest names for borough offices to be voted for February 19.

Tude Sipe, a sister of Mrs. W. S. Griffith, left on No. 14 Friday for a ten days' visit with friends and relatives at Johnstown and Altoona.

Alex. Thomas, an old veteran of the B. & O., is quite ill.

John Fleck of the City meat market, and Joseph Krieger brought five head of fine cattle to town today. John Hurned, a farmer of Ursina, was the producer.

The world of Bald eagle made a short business trip to Cumberland today.

David Seckler, a Bald eagle farmer, and an old soldier of the Civil War, was shaking hands with his many comrades and friends in town yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kolm of Addison were shopping in town yesterday.

SMITHFIELD.

Chatty Letter From the Metropolis of Georges Township.

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 25.—Mrs. John Downey left over the B. & O. way of Washington, D. C., Wednesday morning for the Land of Flowers to spend several months with a nephew, Rude Vandorsle, who is in the real estate business at Tampa, Fla.

Daniel Humbert and Eli Rider, prominent citizens of Springhill township, were transacting business in the borough this morning.

Mrs. Garret Monaghan of Anderson's Cross Roads was shopping in the borough this morning.

Rev. C. O. Beagles will begin revival services in the Presbyterian Church here Monday next. All are cordially invited to attend.

John Field has bought the messenger route from the depot to the postoffice from Fred Hartman and is now carrying the mail between these two points.

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VANDERBILT.

Events of the Day in the Busy Future Town.

DUNBAR, Jan. 26.—Miss Nell Mason of Pennsville, who is spending the winter with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Euhart, of Railroad street, was given a well appointed surprise party by her friend, Miss Eva Stauffer, of Pennsville, Thursday evening.

Jacob Harshman, constable, was looking after legal matters in Uniontown yesterday.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Duet Ware, a few days ago, is a bouncing baby girl. Mother and child are doing well. The home of Mr. and Mrs. Ware is in Scottsdale, but for the past few weeks has been visiting at the home of the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph P. St. John, of East Liberty.

Charles Dunlap of East Liberty is confined to his home suffering from congestion of the lungs. His condition is not serious at the present writing.

J. C. Moore is in Uniontown today transacting business matters. The out of town guests were Carlisle Huntress and Colling Thomas of Scottsdale, Misses Mary Enos, Eva Stauffer, Irene Pite and Messes. Sherrick Enos and Ray Frew of Pennsville, Miss LuLu Frew of Beaverville, Pa., Oliver Barthol of Berlin.

Miss Helen Carroll of New Haven was visiting relatives here yesterday. Miss Armeda Harper was shopping in Connellsburg Friday.

Mr. C. D. Kimball was the guest of his brother, William Smith, of Connellsburg yesterday.

George McCormick was a business caller in Uniontown yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Brown were calling on friends in Uniontown yes-

terday.

E. L. Grier of Pittsburg was here a short time yesterday on business.

Mrs. John Brown and daughter Alice, of Homestead are here as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Harper.

Isaac Fischer was a business caller in Connellsburg yesterday.

Miss Maggie Nelson, who for some time has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. James Kinney, left for her home in Weston, W. Va., yesterday.

A. L. Gleck of Pittsburg was among the business men here yesterday.

Dan, the 15 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hardy, and Edward McGregor, employed as driver by George H. Swearingen, left yesterday for parts unknown. Dan relieved his father of about \$100 and McGregor decided to help him spend it. It is thought by some that they will make Pittsburg their destination, but nothing certain concerning them is known.

Tomorrow morning the Presbyterian Church will unite with the Methodist Episcopal Church in a Union service. The pastors of the four churches have arranged to exchange pulpits for the evening service as follows: Rev. J. B. Hill in M. E. Church, Rev. D. W. Swigert in the M. P. Church, Rev. P. W. Perkins in the First Baptist Church, and Rev. D. M. Paul in the Presbyterian Church.

NEW HAVEN.

Local Matters From the Sister Borough Across the Youghiogheny.

Rev. Thomas Swan of the Trinity Episcopal Church returned home from Pittsburgh Friday, where he attended the banquet given Thursday evening in honor of Bishop Cordtland Whitehead.

Mrs. Israel Marsh of Ninth street was shopping in Pittsburg Friday.

A. C. Carson of Greenwood is home from a visit with relatives at Perryopolis.

I. M. Hodgkins of Perryopolis was calling on friends in town Friday.

Mrs. Sarah Linnan of Ninth street was shopping in Pittsburg Friday.

Mrs. Henry Rhodes of Main street was the guest of Mrs. L. E. Cloutier of Dunbar Friday.

Superintendent C. E. Lipe of Uniontown was registered at the Hotel Columbia Friday.

Mrs. R. S. McKee and two children, Helen and Edith, were the guests of friends in Uniontown Thursday evening.

Joseph Madison of Main street was at Dunbar Friday on business.

Mrs. James McGuire and daughter of Pittsburg returned home Friday after a visit with friends here and in Dunbar township.

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SATURDAY EVENING, JAN. 26, 1907.

THE CANDIDATE'S LAMENT.
William Dempsey McGinnis, majority stockholder, occasional editor and always publisher of our esteemed contemporaneous purveyor of Connellsville publicity, is a candidate for School Director in the Third Ward, and he finds it hard to pay the penalty of ambition. He has abused the Republican party and its candidates time out of mind with a freedom bordering on recklessness, but with strange inconsistency he objects to taking his own medicine now that he is down in front where the limelight throws its halo of multi-colored glory upon his manly brow and mingles it with his Vandyke beard illuminating each individual whisker. He recuses at his hand and tries to pull us within the circle of his misery. He says in the editorial columns of The News:

The editor of The Courier is a wise guy. We are finding out now why he never ran for office. His skin is too thin. A fellow never knows with what he may be charged until a candidate comes along. The name of Dan Deacon is charged with almost everything imaginable and the worst part of it is Republicans, especially the cohorts of Moses, think him guilty of all of them. But we are finding out now that Moses Snyder to run for something. That's where we'll even up. Never knew him to be elected to anything except the local works and the Board of Trade. Both died upon his assuming office. With the G.O.P. would elect him to something. It would drop dead sure.

When you see it in The News it's most always uncertain and often inaccurate, and the above is no exception to the rule. The editor of The Courier never owned a dollar's worth of interest in the local works much less had any part in its management. It is true that he was president of one of the Board of Trade at the same time that Editor McDonald was a member of its Board of Directors. Just which one of us was more much for it will perhaps never be positively known, but when it died Editor McGinnis was in the saddle just behind us. There is a suspicion that the animal died for want of oats. We hadn't anything but wind to feed it on. The new hog will have a box stall in each of the bank buildings and be allowed to browse off the greenbacks whenever it gets hungry for a new industry. It will necessarily have better bottom and more speed than its late lamented half meaning but string-haltered predecessor.

Editor McGinnis will never get us to run for anything. We never ran in our lives, at least not for office. It is true that we were a candidate on several occasions, but we were pushed. Unfortunately we were not pushed hard enough once or twice, but because the poor man isn't allowed to run an account with a lawyer. He has always got sorry for the people. Editor McGinnis will have the same consolation if he should fall of election.

THE HIGH SCHOOL INSTITUTE.
The High School Institute program is noteworthy for the array of pedagogic talent which appears therein. No Fayette County Teachers' Institute has had a better or a bigger corps of high-class instructors to lecture before it.

The High School Institute will not only serve to stimulate the pupils in their work, but it will add to the knowledge and ability of the teachers themselves. It is a brief normal course brought to the doors of the school building. It is in line with the determined efforts of the reform element in the School Board to better the qualifications of the teachers and thereby better their work.

The experiment shows that Connellsville can have excellent institutes of its own. The County Superintendent to the contrary notwithstanding. The Fayette County Institute is well enough in its way, but we have demonstrated that if it can get along without Connellsville and the Young region, Connellsville and the Young region can get along without it.

BOARDS OF TRADE.
The Uniontown Standard does not want to discourage The Unifontown Herald's enthusiastic demand for the organization of a Board of Trade and the establishment of new industries in the town, but it recites some of Uniontown's experiences in this line, just to show The Herald that its proposition is not new and that it is also not as rosy as it looks. The Standard says:

The agitation for locating manufacturing plants here began in earnest over 20 years ago. The Standard does not wish to point it out, but the largest project in response to this agitation, was the Columbia Iron & Steel Mill and the rolling mill. How many houses and streets of homes were lost in this enterprise has never been known, and after its collapse everybody admitted that Uniontown was vastly worse off than it was before. It will never come here. On its ruins, however, has been built up the prosperous radiator works, manned chiefly by home craftsmen and tradesmen.

Following the steel mill experiment, came the nut and bolt works than the Warren glass works than the Thompson glass works and the Fry glass works. All these enterprises disappeared and the small amount of money was lost, much of it by Uniontown people. In bringing these industries here, the manufacturers and the public are a little slow to respond to any further appeals along this line. Bustle people dread the fire.

All the time the agitation was going on for the location of industries in Uniontown a Board of Trade was or-

ganized and it labored in this direction. The Standard was trying to induce other manufacturing plants to come to the downtown those which had already been induced to those who had invested their money in them. This made the load a very heavy one, and the Board of Trade did not succeed in its original purpose.

CConnellsville has been through much the same experience, including even the glass proposition. A number of its established industries have failed some disastrously. At least two of its industry-promoting organizations have gone out of commission, victims of innocuous desuetude. Nothing daunted, a new effort is now to be made on different lines. The old mistakes are to be avoided. Experience has taught us that a Board of Trade, to be successful, must have a bank account of its own. The new organization will endeavor to raise a guarantee fund to back up its efforts. When it needs funds for the purchase of sites or the making of subscriptions to stock, it will not have to go bogging for the money as its predecessors did, usually in vain, but it will have it on call.

The Standard should not despair. Success is often built on a waste of ruined efforts. "Try again" is a good rule, and "Try again and again" is a better. In the language of the enterprising rooster who essayed to lay an egg, "You never can tell 'till you try."

TRAIN AUDITORS

The introduction of Train Auditors or Ticket Collectors on the passenger trains of the Baltimore & Ohio rail road is not a new thing, neither is it done for the purpose of enabling the Conductor to give his entire attention to the running of the train.

Some years ago, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company put Ticket Collectors on a number of its trains. They ran on the Southwest branch for quite awhile. If we mistake not, they were also placed on B & O trains. There was no concealment of their purpose. They were put on the train to check up on cash fares in the past measured up to the amounts returned by the Ticket Collector or Train Auditor. That is their purpose today.

The Train Auditor or Ticket Collector never lasts very long. When the management has satisfied itself they are withdrawn and the Train Conductor is once more given full charge of the train. The result is almost always a vindication for the Train Conductor and the management; perhaps feels just as good as he does about it.

The protest of the freight handlers through the columns of The Courier and endorsed by us was quick to the rescue. The Ohio Highway management are to be acted upon first. They will be soon and green about it. The Sunday Courier of tomorrow will be bigger and better than ever. Don't fail to get one. We can't afford to do without it in connection with The Daily Courier, 10c per week delivered to your homes through our agents.

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Connellsville is evidently on the B & O appropriation list. We don't want to forget Uncle Sam, either.

Rich clients are often sued for lawyers' fees but we never hear of a poor client being called upon to defend such suit. It is a bit of a shock to the average man that the other man is more honest than the other, but because the poor man isn't allowed to run an account with a lawyer. He has always got sorry for the people. Editor McGinnis will have the same consolation if he should fall of election.

The blizzard has come and Editor McDonnell ought to be happy.

Primary elections this afternoon will be safely affairs, but it will be a cold day for the Democratic ring about February 10th.

The grangers meet at Harrisburg and demand all sorts of legislation in the interest of the working classes. The members cast the first vote. The soldiers demand something, and get it. The politicians fear to offend the soldiers vote. The editors of the press, in their opinion, could influence more votes than all the other organizations combined, allow their own interests to be trammeled, and they have the resolution to stand up for themselves and their rights. Instead of fighting the politicians boldly, they go along. They are easy, dead easy.

Editor McGinnis declares he does not expect the Moses vote, but how about the Marcus vote and the Bill vote and some more of the Democratic votes and the Bloody Third?

Nick says: Taddy can't be tempted and in this particular case Young Nick is supposed to know more about it than Old Nick.

The Republicans will have a candidate for Borough Auditor and he will be chosen by the voters. In view of this statement, however, The Courier does not intend to reflect upon the integrity and fitness of the Borough Auditor, nor in other words, candidates for the election. It believes, however, that the Board of Auditors should represent both political parties. The two Auditors in office and both Democrats would be right and proper to elect as a third member of the board a Republican.

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We Repeat Some of the Items of Greatest Interest, Any of Which May be Had for Cash or Credit.

\$10.00 Reversible 9x12 Room Size Rugs.

All the latest colorings. Think of carpeting a floor that would require twenty yards of carpet at a cost of at least \$10.00 when you can purchase a rug to cover the same floor at the special price of.....

\$ 5.95

\$20.00 Special Room Size Brussel Rugs.

Suitable for a large size room, in great variety of shades and patterns. An extra large assortment to choose from. This Rug leads the world in good service at a low price, being made of the best all wool yarn. Special sale price.....

\$12.75

\$22.50 9x12 Tapestry Brussel Rugs.

This rug you cannot find at near this price. In fact they are \$22.50 grade with pure wool face. The size is 9x12 feet, large enough for rooms up to 13x16 ft., and an excellent assortment to choose from in all colors. Patterns come in parlor, library and bed room effects. Medallions large and set figures, scroll and floral patterns. Reduced to special sale price of.....

\$15.00

\$30.00 9x12 Axminster Rugs.

Very finest quality of Axminster. Border and body of rug woven together. Oriental and floral designs. Season's newest colorings. Compare them with \$30.00 rugs of other stores. Special sale price.....

\$19.75

\$45.00 High Grade Wilton Room Rugs.

Size 9x12 feet. The very best grade of fabric in the Wilton Rug. They have been selling regularly for \$45.00. Soft to tread upon. A lifetime of service and satisfaction. Reduced to special sale price.....

\$30.00

75c Brussel Carpet, Pure Wool Face.

You will be surprised at the goodness and attractiveness of these carpets, and when you consider that the face is pure wool, which will retain its color and give long service. The usual price for the same grade is 75c to 80c per yard. We think you will quickly decide to supply your present and future needs. Such values do not come every day. These are reduced to the special price of.....

59c

\$1.00 Tapestry Brussel Carpets.

Guaranteed to be made of the finest grade of wool. Extra heavy quality and most desirable patterns, pretty and Oriental designs. Special sale price only.....

75c

\$1.25 Velvet Carpet.

These are the triple heavy and not the drum printed velvet carpets that are on the market, but nice choice goods of the latest colors and patterns for libraries, parlors and dining rooms. Special sale price.....

\$1.00

\$1.65 High-Grade Axminster Carpets.

In the best and most up to date weaves, floral and Oriental designs, all made of the very finest wools. Special sale price.....

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\$1.75 High-Grade 5-Frame Body Brussel Carpet

All patterns with borders to match, parlor, dining room and bed room effects. Sale price.....

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THAW IN SCOTTDALE.

Slayer of Stanford White There Within the Last Several Months.

OF SEEING WILFUL NATURE.

Became Instantly Angry Upon a Courteous Refusal to Give up Secrets of the H. C. Frick Coke Company—Afterward Became in Better Humor When the Reasons Were Fully Explained.

SCOTTDALE, Jan. 26.—Harry A. Thaw of Pittsburgh, who is on trial for his life for taking the life of Stanford White, the New York architect, was, for a time in his life at least, a visitor in Scottdale, and that within but the last several months. The incidents of his visit here are not remembered with any especial pleasure by those with whom he came in contact and to whom he gave evidences of the apparently spoiled mind that followed a probably spoiled boyhood.

Young Thaw came here prior to the suit which he instituted against his brothers in the management of the Thaw holdings of coal lands in the region, and whom he then thought were giving him the worst of it. Thaw came to the offices here, whom he approached on this matter informed him courteously that it was impossible for him to have access to the records. Those who were present describe young Thaw as "flaring up" at once at this and giving no opportunity to

explain, demanding that he at once be given telephone communication with President Thomas Lynch. He afterward became somewhat mollified on the matter when the people here explained to him the causes of their refusal to give him the information he was seeking. They describe him as being a large athletic appearing young man, apparently of the idea that anything he wanted was to be his for the desiring of it. They describe him as being a sort of a man who would seemingly take offense at almost anything he believed not in accord with his opinions and apparently an unpleasant man to cross in anything.

Rev. P. D. Steelsmith, pastor of the recently organized United Evangelical Church in Scottdale, is still continuing his services at the mission on Bridge street and is increasing the membership by a goodly number, 32 having already sought salvation. There will be preaching services at the mission this evening and at 10 o'clock on Sunday morning, prayer and class meeting and Sunday school at 2:30, semi-testimony and prayer meeting at 6:45. Preaching services will be held at 7:30, at which the unsaved particularly are invited to attend. There will be preaching in the Pennsylvania United Evangelical Church at 10:30 Sunday morning and in the Bridgeport United Evangelical Church at 2:30 Sunday afternoon.

Through the Byrne Real Estate Agency the P. Donahue property in Klefertown has been sold to John Switzer of Mt. Pleasant township.

A. L. and B. F. Kolster were business visitors in Pittsburgh on Friday.

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Miss Collier of Tarentum, who has been the guest of Miss Ethel Dick, returned home on Friday.

A brewery wagon from Tarr slewed

on the slippery street at Broadway and Pittsburg streets when it went down and across the P. R. R. tracks, again slewing to one side of Bridge street, mashing down the sign in front of R. E. Morford's barber shop, and

narrowly missing a small boy who had to run out of the way of the swinging rear end of the wagon.

E. A. Gross, who lived here 18 years ago, and who is now a resident of Denver, Colo., where he is superintendent of an ice plant, left for home Friday, after a visit with the members of the Webb family of Scottdale.

Harry Koscer, with driving past the home of Jacob L. Galt, west of town, Friday evening, had his horse scared and the animal turned suddenly on the road, breaking the shafts of the buggy, but doing no other damage.

Rev. and Mrs. B. F. Hanky visited town on Thursday.

The Sunday services are of a varied nature tomorrow. At the Presbyterian Church, Prof. P. N. Osborne, a Souther of the Western Theological Seminary, will preach morning and evening. Prof. Osborne was principal of the Scottdale school a few years ago and very popular with the people, who will be glad to have the opportunity of again seeing him and hearing him in public speech.

At the United Presbyterian Church Rev. M. W. Miller, pastor, the morning sermon will be on the subject of "The Approach of Day" and in the evening on "God Doing a New Thing."

At the Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. William C. Weaver, pastor, the morning sermon will be "The Life With Living" and the evening one on "The True Hero." At 2:30 in the afternoon there will be a memorial service held by the Sunday school and Epworth League for Mrs. Annie E. Rutherford and James P. Beatty.

At the Y. M. C. A. meeting in the afternoon at 3:30, former District Attorney J. F. B. Crumbliss will speak on "The Trial of Jesus from a Lawyer's Standpoint."

At the First Church of Christ, Rev. M. C. Frick, pastor, the morning sub-

ject at 11 A. M. will be "The Faithfulness to Christ and the Church," and

7:30 P. M. "Rightly Dividing the Word."

The First United Brethren Church, Rev. W. W. Williamson, pastor, the

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Union Teachers' Meeting Was Attended by Many Thursday.

The union teachers' meeting was attended to about 40 teachers Thursday, which is considered a very good beginning in view of the many churches now in meetings. It is expected that the attendance will reach nearly a hundred in a few weeks. The meeting will begin at 8 P. M. and end just sixty minutes. Every Sunday school teacher and teacher is invited.

The meeting Sunday at 1 P. M. will be a mixed meeting as the illustrated story, "In His Steps," was not completed last Sunday. It will be completed Sunday and all persons over 15 years of age of both sexes are invited to attend.

Special music, by soloists and orchestra. Orchestra begins at 2 P. M. Building open to all from two to six o'clock Sunday.

The music class meet at 4:30 to which all men are specially invited.

Every man who applied for membership in these classes should attend.

The basket ball outfit is to place in the gymnasium and the High School boys play the first game yesterday afternoon.

Two Saturday night "open" have been arranged for in February. It is expected that many Saturday night afternoons will find something interesting on the boards. These entertainments will cost but five cents no matter of what character.

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BANGS DISAPPROVED

References of Panama Canal Bidder Not Up to Requirements.

HIS PARTNER OLIVER ACCEPTED

After Cabinet Meeting and Conference at White House It Was Decided to Eliminate Bangs From Consideration—Offer Made to Oliver.

Washington, Jan. 26.—As a result of an extended conference at the White House it was decided to reject the bid of Oliver & Bangs, who proposed to complete the construction of the Panama canal for 6.75 per cent of the total estimated cost, insofar as Anson M. Bangs of New York city is concerned. While no official statement was given out at the White House, it can be authoritatively stated that if William J. Oliver of Knoxville, Tenn., can enter into a satisfactory arrangement with some other contractor, who is financially responsible, he will be given the contract for the construction of the canal.

Make Thorough Inquiry.

The fact that the McArthur-Gillespie Co. of New York, whose bid for the construction of the canal was 12.5 per cent, were represented at the conference, leads many of the interested parties to believe that a combination may be formed between that firm and Mr. Oliver. It is known that the McArthur-Gillespie syndicate has convinced President Roosevelt and Secretary Taft of its financial responsibility, and after a most thorough investigation the canal officials have expressed satisfaction that Mr. Oliver is able to carry out his end of the agreement, and there would have been no question as to awarding the contract to Oliver & Bangs had the credentials presented by Mr. Bangs as those furnished by Mr. Oliver. The decision reached at the White House, however, means that Mr. Oliver will be given a chance to take some other contractor into partnership with him whose financial responsibility meets the satisfaction of the government. The canal commission, with this requirement, will not undertake to dictate to him who this contractor shall be.

Oliver's Standing Good.

The question of rejecting a bid was discussed at the cabinet meeting and this decision had been practically agreed upon before the conference last night. Secretary Taft today will make known to Mr. Oliver the decision that has been reached and if the arrangement is satisfactory to Mr. Oliver he probably will be given several days in which to arrange a satisfactory agreement with the McArthur-Gillespie Co. or some other contractor who can deposit the required cash security. On the other hand, if Mr. Oliver refuses to consider the contract after the rejection of Mr. Bangs, the canal commission will immediately issue a call for new bids.

OUTLOOK BRIGHTER

Indications That Waynesburg Bank Will Pay Its Debts.

Waynesburg, Pa., Jan. 26.—Relatives have come to the rescue of J. B. Rhinehart, former cashier and vice president of the wrecked Farmers & Drovers National bank of Waynesburg, and it is reported will make good all sums where forgery is charged. In the event of such action it is asserted that the charges will be well proved. This will leave Rhinehart to face only proceedings instituted by the government. These charges the making of false reports to the comptroller of the currency, which contains eight counts of alleged discrepancies totaling \$300,000.

Hearings bearing on certain alleged illegal transactions involving the bank have been set for Feb. 1 and witnesses are now being notified to appear in Waynesburg on the date stated. It is not yet definitely known to what extent the bank is involved, but the indications are that it will not be necessary for the comptroller of the currency to make an assessment on the stockholders. The bank's affairs are said to be assuming better shape than ever hoped for.

NAVAL OFFICERS LOBBY

They Cause Much Irritation Among Members of the Senate.

Washington, Jan. 26.—The house passed a number of bills of a local nature, including \$300,000 pension bills. The agricultural appropriation bill was then taken up and while it was under consideration Representative Kahn of California addressed the house on fire insurance companies and their relation to the city of San Francisco. The question of the free distribution of garden seed occupied the remainder of the day.

Resolutions to check naval officers from "lighting a fire under senators and members to compel the enactment of the naval personnel bill at this session," were presented in the senate by Mr. Hale, and after causing a sharp debate of short duration, went over for future consideration. Mr. Hale's resolution cited the president's order forbidding government employees to "lobby" and direct an inquiry by the secretary of the navy to ascertain whether the order is being violated.

The urgent deficiency appropriation bill carrying \$275,000 as it came from the house and authorizing by a separate amendment a loan of \$1,000,000 to the Jamestown Exposition Co. was passed.

Tell Different Stories.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Mrs. Anna O'Donnell was found dying under a third-story window of a building in which are the apartments occupied by the woman and her husband. The husband informed the police that his wife was walking in her sleep and climbed through the window. Neighbors declared the couple had been quarreling.

DUN'S REVIEW OF TRADE

Summary of Business Conditions Throughout the Country.

New York, Jan. 26.—Dun's Weekly Review of Trade says today:

"Lower temperature and snow at many points stimulated retail demand for seasonable merchandise, but retarded movement of freight, which was beginning to show noteworthy improvement. Distribution of heavy weight clothing, footwear and other winter goods was very large during the past week, reducing stocks that it was feared would be carried over on account of the mild season. Wholesale and jobbing trade in dry goods for spring delivery was also liberal, many cities reporting this forward business in excess of all previous records."

"Leading manufacturing industries report a steady volume of new business, assuring full operation of plants far into the future and maintaining high prices for all raw materials. A gratifying steadiness is noted in the iron and steel industry, mills receiving a volume of new business that readily sustains prices, yet there is little evidence of abnormal activity or speculative inflation. No change has occurred in standard steel rail prices, although the roads have placed a further big tonnage and numerous contracts are under negotiation. It will be many months before delivery can be made on new orders, not only as to rails, but many other departments of the industry. Orders for structural shapes have increased largely as compared with the market when the year opened, and, as plans for spring work are completed, there is a steady volume of new business."

P. R. HIRES FORESTER

Will Raise Its Own Croissants as Supply is Limited.

Philadelphia, Jan. 26.—E. A. Sterling, formerly assistant forester in the department of agriculture at Washington, has been appointed forester of the Pennsylvania railroad. Mr. Sterling will be the first forester of an American railroad. He will assume his new duties March 1.

The action of the Pennsylvania railroad in taking up forestry is for the purpose of planting trees systematically to furnish a croissant supply in future years and follows experiments which the company has been making in the last five years. During this time a million and a half trees have been planted on land owned by the company. A government forestry expert was engaged to assist the management in planning the forestry work which is now to be undertaken officially by the company. Six hundred and eighty one acres of land near Altoona, Pa., will, in the springs of 1907 and 1908, be planted with chestnut and red oak seedlings.

The railroads of the country are using about 110,000,000 crosses every year, of which number the Pennsylvania uses about 5,500,000. This great demand for the best grade of ties is denuding the forests of the country so rapidly that they have reached the price of 70 cents each.

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AUTO RACER SMASHED

Fred A. Marriott Comes to Grief While Going Two Miles a Minute.

Ormond- Daytona Beach, Fla., Jan. 26.—Fred A. Marriott, while driving the cigar-shaped steam racer at a rate of two miles a minute in an effort to break the world's mile record, struck a slight ridge of hardened sand in the road. The force of the blow lifted the front wheels of the racer from the beach, dislodged the steering gear, loose, and pitched the car, after a four-foot leap through space, on its side.

The momentum of the car caused it to roll over and over with the helpless driver pinned fast in the hood unable to save himself.

The framework of the car splintered to fragments, the machine twisted out of all resemblance to anything and the boiler buried fully 50 yards down the beach. Fortunately the fuse plug blew out of the boiler and let the steam escape thus undoubtedly saving the life of the helpless Marriott, who lay unconscious across the wreck of the front wheels with the wreckage of his steed piled about him.

He was carried to the clubhouse

Rumors that his right eye was probably lost were contradicted and a further examination showed that no bones were broken though the hair

was scraped from the scalp. The scalp, face and hands and arms were gashed and torn and internal injuries may develop, though Marriott is believed to be out of danger now.

Chicago Grain Market.

Chicago, Jan. 26.—Flour, meal and

greatly reduced receipts in the north

MANY EXCEPTIONS HAVE BEEN FILED.

Practically Every Account of Executor Joseph Brown Is Protested.

THE JOHN K. BROWN ESTATE

Is Being Fought Over by Mrs. F. O. Goodwin and Mrs. Henrietta White Before Auditor W. J. Sturgis—Hearing Continued Until Monday.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 26.—Another hearing was held Friday before Auditor W. J. Sturgis over the estate of the late John K. Brown of Connellsville. The hearing was not completed, but adjourned until nine o'clock Monday morning. The hearings are being held over the \$8 exceptions filed against the settlement of the estate made by Executor Joseph K. Brown. These exceptions cover practically every account of the executor, ranging in amount from 50 cents to \$1,100.

The exceptants are Mrs. F. O. Goodwin and Mrs. Henrietta White. J. C. Brown has also filed exceptions, but only to notes held against him and charged in the executor's accounts. John K. Brown died in 1894, leaving his estate, now valued at \$32,000, to his wife. His wife died in 1903 and Joseph K. Brown became executor of the estate.

MAKES A KICK.

Harry Thaw Objects to Presence of State Attorneys.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—[Special.]—Harry K. Thaw told his counsel today that he was more than pleased with the jurors selected thus far. He is more hopeful than ever of being acquitted.

Thaw made a vigorous protest to his counsel today against the State's attorneys, who sit within the rule of the court and watch him to detect evidence of insanity. Thaw declared his rights are being invaded and he could not be forced to undergo such an examination.

PRINCIPAL'S TROUBLE.

Prof. E. P. Johnston Will Likely Soon Retire from Uniontown Public Schools.

UNIONTOWN, Jan. 26.—Prof. E. P. Johnston, head of the Uniontown public schools, will likely shortly resign. Charges of neglect of duty and immorality have been preferred against him and have received consideration by the School Board. At a meeting on Monday night Prof. Johnston will be given a chance to defend himself. The general opinion is that he will resign. The specific charges are not made public.

Prof. Johnston came to Uniontown from Allegheny and succeeded Prof. H. F. Brooks, who is serving a term in the Penitentiary for embezzling school funds.

FATAL HAZING.

Shooting Grew Out of It at Georgia Normal School.

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 26.—[Special.] Two men are dying and two boys seriously wounded as a result of a pistol fight growing out of a hazing affair in the Georgia Normal School. The shooting occurred on the college campus. Lamar Carswell was hazed by students and badly abused.

His father and uncle, with their sons, went to seek redress for the wrongs of Lamar. Students opened fire and the father and uncle fell mortally wounded. Two others were shot in the stomach.

HIGH SCHOOL DANCE.

Students Given An Enjoyable Affair in Markell Hall.

Markell Hall was the scene of a very enjoyable dance given Friday evening by the High School students under the leadership of Rudolph Munk, Ell Rosenblum and John King. The hours were 9 until 2 o'clock. Music was furnished by Kiferko's orchestra. Over 35 couples were in attendance. The out of town guests were Miss Baily of Scotland and Miss Jessie Foltz of Dunbar.

MURDER AND SUICIDE.

Insanely Jealous of Myra Morris, John Blacken Fired Fatal Shots.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 26.—[Special.] Insanely jealous because she received attention from men and refused his proposal of marriage, John Blacken, a tobacco salesman, shot and killed Myra Morris in front of her home early today.

He then fired two shots into his own breast and is dying in the hospital.

Dixon Held for Court.

George Dixon, the negro who cut Bud Campbell at Continental a few days ago, was held for court this morning at a hearing before Squire John Boyle of Uniontown.

Injunction Withdrawn.

The injunction against the striking Tri-State telephone linemen has been withdrawn. No reason is assigned for the withdrawal of the injunction.

C. E. MEETING

At the Home of Miss Nell Edwards Friday Evening.

The C. E. Society of the Christian church held a well attended meeting at the home of the President, Miss Nell Edwards, on Wilmer avenue last evening. The Secretary, Miss Daisie Trump, announced the Chairman of the committee for raising six months as Miss Beulah Francis Committee on Attendance; Lloyd Shaw Committee on Sociality; Miss Catherine Lowman, Committee on Meetings; Miss Margaret Lewis Committee on Music; Miss Ella King Vogel Committee on Missions.

A special missionary program is being prepared for the celebration of Christian Endeavor Day, February 3. The half hour Bible study will be continued, using Hurbut's Moral Lessons as the basis of the work. February 22, the Society plans a social meeting which will be held at the home of Miss Trump on Green street. After the meeting last evening refreshments were served.

A HOT MESSAGE

Sent to Framers of Oklahoma Constitution by President Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 25.—[Special.] President Roosevelt sent a red-hot message to Oklahoma today. A number of visitors from Oklahoma were escorted to the White House and introduced to President Roosevelt.

Later the visitors upon departing said they would like to take some messages to the framers of the new State Constitution. The President said he had never posed as a friend of the railroads, but unless the framers of the Constitution should make the instrument so that the railroads in Oklahoma might secure their just rights, he would do his best to have the Constitution rejected.

SOCIALISTS LOSE.

Latest Returns in Germany Show Overwhelming Victory for Kaiser.

BERLIN, Jan. 26.—[Special.] Latest returns from the elections indicate that the Socialists have lost at least 15 seats. The Socialist leaders were returned by reduced pluralities except Barnstorf, who was defeated. The Clerical party held its own and will have 100 seats. A second ballot will be required in many districts.

In the face of the returns the Kaisers' victory is overwhelming. Groups favoring his policy have 200 members in excess of the combined votes of the Socialists and Clericals.

SWETTENHAM RESIGNS.

Will Sail from Jamaica for England Shorty.

KINGSTON, Jan. 26.—Governor Swettenden will sail for England in a very few days, having resigned his position as Governor of Jamaica, according to a widely circulated rumor. The Governor denies himself to all interviewers and subordinates decline to affirm or deny his resignation.

III will against Swettenden is ever increasing and his countrymen are most indignant of any class of people on the island.

FATALLY SHOT.

Dr. Charles Willmot Townsend is Killed by a Burglar.

NEW YORK, Jan. 26.—[Special.] Dr. Charles Willmot Townsend one of the most prominent physicians of Staten Island was, according to Mrs. Townsend, fatally shot by a burglar who broke into the mansion early this morning.

The police are investigating.

Ladies' Aid Meeting.

An interesting meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the First Baptist Church was held Friday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Mary Shaffer on Johnson avenue. The usual routine business was transacted at the close of which refreshments were served.

To Attend Ayers' Funeral.

The Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the C. O. R. C. and Brotherhood of Firemen are invited to attend the funeral service of the late Daniel Ayers, which will take place from his late residence on Vine street Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock.

Terrorists Busy at Lodz.

Lodz, Russia, Poland, Jan. 26.—A band of terrorists shot and killed a policeman and two soldiers who were accompanying him on the streets. A patrol of 100 was called by bringing a volley down the street. Two passers-by were killed and several wounded. The murderers escaped.

Automatic Divorce in France.

Paris, Jan. 26.—Against vehement protests of the right the chamber of deputies adopted the bill providing for the automatic granting of decrees of divorce if either party persists in a suit for three years.

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. David Reese of South Connellsville, parents of the late David Reese, Jr., desire to extend their thanks to their many friends for their kindness and sympathy shown them during their recent bereavement.

Blocked Tracks.

A freight wreck in the yards of the B. & O. railroad in front of the Trans-Allegheny blocked the eastbound track early this morning. No one was hurt.

Road Supervisors Quit.

The road supervisors of Henry Clay township have quit their office because there is nothing in it but glory. The roads are almost in an impossible condition.

Noon Weather Forecast.

Fair and colder tonight; Sunday fair; minimum tonight about zero, is the noon weather forecast.

Sacrifice of Horses.

The average number of horses killed in Spanish bull fights every year exceeds 5,000, while from 1,000 to 1,200 bulls are sacrificed.

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FINDS LEPROSY CURE

Government of Cuba Investigates and Confirms Dr. Duque's Claim.

Havana, Jan. 26.—A commission appointed by the government has turned in a report to the effect that Dr. Matias Duque, who is in charge of the hospital of contagious diseases, probably has discovered a cure for leprosy.

Two lepers were turned over to the doctor several years ago for experimental purposes and today those persons have no exterior traces of the disease and are gaining notably in weight. Several other cases treated by Dr. Duque are in various stages of improvement. Dr. Duque's experiments have been along the line of what he terms the "red mangrove tree" treatment. He claims to have discovered this treatment as a result of his study to find a cure for his sister, who suffered from leprosy, and whom he has succeeded in curing.

HIGH SCHOOL ALUMNI

Will Give a Dance in Markell Hall on February 6.

A social event of interest will be a dance to be held Wednesday evening, February 6, in Markell hall by the Connellsville High School alumnae. The hours are from 9 until 2 o'clock. Music will be furnished by Kiferko's orchestra.

The committee is composed of J. Alaysia, Con. of the Class of 1894; Earl N. Bowler, of the 1900 Class; Oliver Goldsmith, T. Clifford Edmund and Charles L. Clegg, of the 1906 Class. Invitations were issued this morning. The event will be the first alumnae dance ever held in Connellsville.

IN CONGRESS.

Senate of Senate and House for Coming Week.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 26.—[Special.] In Congress the coming week Senator Borodice will further discuss child labor; Carter will denounce Secretary Hitchcock's land policy; the Indian appropriations will be taken up; Raynor will talk on the usurpation of Executive power and Pittsfield will discuss Soot. On Friday eulogies will be delivered on the late Senator Gorman.

In the House the River and Harbor bill will be discussed; the ship subsidy will be taken up and a fight on the naval appropriation bill is expected.

Ants and the Overflow.

Dr. Arthur J. Hayes, who recently visited Abyssinia with a surveying party sent out to set up marks for gauging the rise of the Blue Nile, which branches off the "river of Egypt," which overflowed most to its annual overflows due to the fertilization of the Nile delta, declares that the wonderful productivity of the mud spread over the cultivated parts of Egypt every year is due to the white ants, or termites, which abound in Abyssinia except Barnstorf, who was defeated.

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The Editor's Apology.

As usual our printer left us in the "coupé" last and this week, and we have not as yet been able to secure the services of another; and therefore we ask the indulgence of our readers for the scarcity of reading matter this week. We have been conducting a sale by auction, and had but a few spare hours left in which to get out this sheet. We hope, however, to do better next week.

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Kather Wins in Elections.

Berlin, Jan. 26.—The government has won a victory in the general election for a new legislature. The Liberal Radical and Conservative parties, supporting Prince von Bielbow's colonial policy, have won at least 20 seats, but more important for the government than the success of its colonial plan is the defeat administered to the Socialists, who will lose 17 or 18 seats.

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Club Entertained Last Evening by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stauffer.

The South Side Euchre Club was delightfully entertained Friday evening by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Stauffer at their home on Green street. Five tables of cards were in use during the evening.

At the close of the games the prizes were awarded to Mrs. Harry Norton and J. W. McLean. Luncheon was served at midnight. Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Norton will entertain the Club on the next meeting night.

ENTERTAINED FRIENDS.

Miss Myra Fisher of South Connellsville proves delightful hostess.

About 30 guests were entertained at South Connellsville Friday evening by Miss Myra Fisher. At present spent an enjoyable evening. After various amusements were indulged in, refreshments were served.

Thomas McCafferty and Miss Flossie Somerville of Baltimore and Miss Martha Moyer of Dunbar were the out-of-town guests.

The Counter-sign.

The counter-sign you must give to every soul who guards the road leading to the City of Wealth is "Savvy Accents."

Provide yourself with it today. A savings account in The Citizens National Bank of Connellsville earns 4 percent compound interest.

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LOCAL AND PERSONAL.

Live Local News From All Parts of the Town.

B. & D. Agent Wm. H. Towzer is in Pittsburgh today attending a meeting of the Pitttimers & Ohio Agents Association.

Frank Stanfield, teacher of dancing, Pittsburgh building Tri-State phone 4801, J. D. Critchlow returned home Friday afternoon from a visit with relatives at Butler.

Margaret Callahan of South Penn Street was shopping in Pittsburgh Friday.

J. S. Harry has returned home from South Dakota, N. D., where he spent several days with his little brother, who has been ill for the past several months.

Miss Ella King Vogel, teacher in the public schools, went to Somersfield Saturday afternoon, where she will remain over Sunday.

Frank B. Lutteman of South Pittsburg has returned home Friday from a several day visit with relatives in Cumberland.

Mr. and Mrs. Shryman of Dickerson Run were in town this morning on their way to Chattanooga, where they will visit with the latter's mother.

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Miss Jessie Sellars of Ursina, who has been the guest of her sister,